Bloomington Arts Commission Past Arts Grant Recipients

October 2008-Present

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Oct-08	1	Bloomington Community Radio, Inc.: "Art Lives in Bloomington," radio/TV special showcasing interviews with local residents on how art contributes to their lives.
Oct-08	2	Bloomington New Tech High School: student-created art project led by artist Joe LaMantia for this new MCCSC public high school.
Oct-08	3	Bloomington Playwrights Project: free Mini Play youth playwriting competition workshop for area teathers
Oct-08	4	The Bloomington Pops: "Christmas with the Pops" concert
Oct-08	5	Cardinal Stage Company: free student matinee performance of "The Diary of Anne Frank."
Oct-08	6	Don Freund: documentation of "Romeo and Juliet: A Shakespearian Music-Drama" at the Bloomington Playwrights Project, for which he composed the music
Oct-08	7	Jazz from Bloomington: weekly jazz jam sessions open to participation by players of all skill-levels, guided by a professional rhythm section at Jazz at the Station
Oct-08	8	Lotus Education & Arts Foundation: 2008 Lotus Art Bikes, community project led by artist Joe LaMantia
Oct-08	9	Musical Arts Youth Orchestra: a composition competition, judged by the IU Jacobs School of Music, to yield new music for youth orchestra
Oct-08	10	Sycamore Land Trust: "Art for All Seasons" juried nature-inspired art show held at Gallery North on the Square
Oct-08	11	Theatre of the People: "Peace on Terror," a one-act play in nine chapters, by this new theatre company
Oct-08	12	WFIU-FM Radio, Indiana University: "Artworks: Street Sounds," series airing profiles and performances by street musicians in Bloomington.
Apr-09	1	Boys & Girls Clubs of Bloomington: "ART CORE," visual arts program providing Bloomington's youth access to rich art experiences in an after school program.
Apr-09	2	Bloomington Hospital, Healing Arts Task Force (HATF): "Art Cart," a roving art cart stocked with art supplies, available to patients on inpatient floors and their visitors.
Apr-09	3	WonderLab Museum of Science, Health and Technology: "Art and Science of Color," a program in the annual Science of Art series featuring hands on demonstrations by professional artists who explore disciplines related to color.
Apr-09	4	Lotus Education & Arts Foundation: "Lotus Processionals Community Workshops," a participatory arts activity for the community to create personal masks and flags for display and parading in association with the Lotus World Music & Arts Festival.
Apr-09	5	Fourth Street Festival of Arts and Craft: "Bloomington Community BEAD Mosaic," a community art project creating a mosaic at the children's art booth at the Fourth Street Festival of Arts and Craft.
Apr-09	6	"Only Human" Feature Film: produced by Indiana University students and Bloomington community members, the film explores powerful themes and real life experiences.

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Apr-09	7	Musical Arts Youth Orchestra: "MAYO Composition Competition," a competition of original music written for youth orchestra to be premiered at MAYO's spring concert.
Apr-09	8	Southern Indiana Wind Ensemble, Fall Concert: a concert this November or December 2009 featuring a guest artist
Apr-09	9	Bloomington Playwrights Project: "Mini Play Touring Program," students have the opportunity to view five professional actors dramatize plays written by them and their peers as part of the Mini Play competition.
Apr-09	10	Cardinal Stage Company, "Inherit the Wind": creating supplemental educational materials for general audiences and students about the play.
Apr-09	11	Monroe County Musicmakers Extension Chorus: providing a venue for singers to advance their professional skills and promote the art of music within the community

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Oct-09	1	Bloomington Downtown Gallery Walk Committee: Downtown Gallery Walks
Oct-09	2	Bloomington Playwrights Project:09/10 Season Window Gallery Project
		Boys and Girls Club of Bloomington: ART CORE Visiting Artists and
Oct-09	3	Special Projects
Oct-09	4	BCT Management, Inc.: BCT Movie Partner Program
Oct-09	5	Bloomington Chamber Singers: AutumnSong
Oct-09	6	Bloomington Old-Time Music and Dance Group: Winter Family Dance Series
Oct-09	7	The Bloomington POPS: Christmas with the POPS
Oct-09	8	Bloomington Winter Farmers Market: Music at the Bloomington Winter Farmers Market
Oct-09	9	Cardinal Stage Company: Advanced Carpentry for C. David Higgins' Florist Shop Set Design for "Little Shop of Horrors"
Oct-09	10	Indiana University Children's Choir: Spring Concert
Oct-09	11	Jazz from Bloomington: Hot Wings and Cool Jazz Jam Session Series
Oct-09	12	Lotus Education and Arts Foundation: Lotus Blossoms World Bazaar
Oct-09	13	The Musicmakers Extension Chorus: The Musicmakers Chorus concerts
Oct-09	14	Southern Indiana Wind Ensemble: Spring Finale Concert
Oct-09	15	Southern Indiana Youth Symphony: Development and Enhancement of String Instrument and Fine Arts Educational Curriculum for Bloomington Youth
Oct-09	16	Theatre of the People: TOP's Federal 501(c)(3) application payment and CPA Audit fee
Oct-09	17	WFHB, Bloomington Community Radio: Environmentally-themed child-driven radio theater project and recycled object instrument-making workshop
Oct-09	18	WFHB, Bloomington Community Radio: Poetry Sites

Apr-10	1	Fairview Elementary School
Apr-10	2	Lotus Education & Arts Foundation
Apr-10	3	WonderLab Museum of Science, Health & Technology
Apr-10	4	Leadership Bloomington Alumni, Inc.

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Apr-10	5	Pinnacle School
Apr-10	6	Boys & Girls Clubs of Bloomington Main Unit
Apr-10	7	Bloomington Community Radio (WFHB)
Apr-10	8	Bloomington Chamber Singers
Apr-10	9	Harrodsburg United Methodist Church

Oct-10	1	Bloomington Playwrights Project, \$670.52 for their "Local Student Reading Series" which will showcase new, excellent works produced by young, local writers.
Oct-10	2	Cardinal Stage Company, \$707.48 for their "Shakespeare in Performance Project" which will include a production of Romeo and Juliet and Shakespeare in Performance workshops.
Oct-10	3	Bloomington Chamber Singers, \$636.90 for their "Messiah Sings" concert.
Oct-10	4	Bloomington Early Music Festival, \$702.44 for "The Bloomington Bach Cantata Project" in which monthly performances of Bach cantatas are presented in collaboration with Bloomington area musicians.
Oct-10	5	Boys & Girls Club of Bloomington, \$387.00 for their "Youth Digital Photography Project" that will provide Bloomington's youth the opportunity to develop the skill of and explore digital photography.
Oct-10	6	Bloomington Symphony Orchestra, \$641.95 for their Spring 2011 Concert "Violapalooza!" which will feature a collaboration with members of the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra and celebrate the power of the viola.
Oct-10	7	Bloomington Downtown Gallery Walk Group, \$653.71 for "Gallery Works" which will add educational components to exhibits presented during Gallery Walks.
Oct-10	8	Southern Indiana Wind Ensemble, \$600.00 for their free Spring 2011 concert.

Apr-11	1	BCT Management, Inc., \$689.38 for "Breaking Away: A Bloomington Celebration" which will include a screening of the film, a guided bike tour of locations and a short film competition.
Apr-11	2	Bloomington Chamber Singers, \$613.72 for their annual performance of Handel's "Messiah".
Apr-11	3	Bloomington Early Music Festival, \$641.98 for their annual festival which will coincide with Indiana University Themester's "Making War, Making Peace."
Apr-11	4	Boys & Girls Club of Bloomington, \$659.24 for their summer project "Arts and the Environment" which will use themes of nature to teach art techniques and how nature affects daily life.
Apr-11	5	Cardinal Stage Company, \$729.88 for an outreach and research initiative of untold stories from Bloomington WW II veterans to be presented in essays and multi-media displays.
Apr-11	6	Friends of the Monroe County Public Library, \$678.08 for a biennial series entitled "The Power of Words" which showcases authors and speakers who capture the hearts and minds of the Bloomington community.
Apr-11	7	Ivy Tech-Waldron Arts Center, \$709.47 for a series of playful, interactive art installations exploring the economic impact of the arts in Bloomington.

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Apr-11	8	Lotus Education & Arts Foundation, Inc., \$797.37 for their Lotus Village Outreach Project which will engage underserved children and adults in the creation of a community labyrinth for the 2011 Lotus Music & Arts Festival.
Apr-11	9	TEDx Bloomington, \$676.51 to support 15 scholarships to their TEDx conference for local artists.
Apr-11	10	Tibetan Mongolian Buddhist Cultural Center, \$637.27 for the exhibit "Bloomington Katmandu: From Cornfields to Ricefields" which will bring artwork from all over the world to Bloomington and explores the concept of "home" in the 21 st Century.
Apr-11	11	Windfall Dancers, Inc., \$667.10 for their voucher program that provides residents of Middle Way's The Rise Transitional Housing with access to free dance classes offered at Windfall's dance studio.

Oct-11	1	BCT Management, Inc., \$618.60 for the 2012 PRIDE Film Festival.
Oct-11	2	Bloomington Chamber Singers, \$557.50 for their performance of Beethoven's Missa Solemnis.
Oct-11	3	Bloomington Playwrights Project, \$595.69 for their MiniPlay Contest and Camp that will engage local students in the writing and production of their own plays.
Oct-11	4	Bloomington Symphony Orchestra, \$656.79 in support of their annual side-by-side concert with the Hoosier Youth Philharmonic that will include a special performance by Windfall Dancers.
Oct-11	5	Boys & Girls Club, \$565.14 to bring performing artists into their after school art program.
Oct-11	6	Cardinal Stage, \$500.00 for the hiring of an American Sign Language interpreter for performances of Annie and Big River.
Oct-11	7	Center for Sustainable Living, \$534.60 for the 2012 Trashion Refashion Show featuring clothing made from recycled materials.
Oct-11	8	GalleryWalk Group, \$641.51 for support of the 2012 Downtown GalleryWalk and GalleryWorks programs.
Oct-11	9	Jazz from Bloomington, \$534.60 in support of the creation of a venue for young instrumentalists to practice improvisation and the performance of jazz music.
Oct-11	10	Lotus Arts & Education Foundation, \$640.00 for the Lotus Blossoms Collaborative Art Project that will involve local students in the creation of several community art projects.
Oct-11	11	Musical Arts Youth Orchestra, \$534.60 in support of the "Elements" project which increases the accessibility of orchestral music to underserved youth.
Oct-11	12	Southern Indiana Wind Ensemble, \$510.00 for their May 2012 concert that will feature the premier of a piece composed by the winner of their Composition Contest.
Oct-11	13	Windfall Dancers, \$610.97 for a collaborative project that features local musicians, singers, acrobats, and dancers in the presentation of "Leonardo Dreams of His Flying Machine".

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Apr-12	1	WFIU Radio, \$877.00 for their Artist in the Making radio series featuring emerging artists in a variety of media.
Apr-12	2	Bloomington Chamber Singers, \$855.87 for their annual Messiah concert.
Apr-12	3	Bloomington Symphony Orchestra, \$855.87 for their 2012 Summer Concert in the Park project.
Apr-12	4	Bloomington Open Studios Tour, \$908.70 for their June Open Studios Tour project featuring the work of over 50 artists.
Apr-12	5	WonderLab, \$887.57 for their Science of Art programs that takes place on the first Friday of every month.
Apr-12	6	Carson-Palmer Productions LLC, \$700.00 for their August Broadway and Opera Concert.
Apr-12	7	Lotus Education and Outreach Foundation, \$815.00 for their Lotus Village Outreach Project.
Apr-12	8	Krampus Legend and Arts Workshop (KLAW), \$800.00 for the Krampus Legend and Arts Workshop that will include films, puppet shows, a parade and more to promote the legend of the Krampus.
Apr-12	9	Bloomington Creative Glass Center, \$800.00 for the 3 rd Annual Great Glass Pumpkin Patch featuring over 250 hand-blown glass pumpkins